HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE 2026-2027 Edition

Law of Wills, by Gerry W. Beyer, provides detailed coverage of intestate succession, the requirements of a valid will, will revocation, will construction, and probate avoidance techniques, along with guidance on planning for incompetence, death, persona rights, and digital assets. Topics include an analytical discussion of both relevant legislation and applicable case law.

This edition includes coverage of recent developments. The most significant of these include:

- Ademption (§ 24:1).
- Arbitration clauses (§ 47:31).
- Class gifts (§§ 30:4 & 30:6).
- Forgery (§ 51:17).
- Joint brokerage accounts (§ 60:3).
- Partial revocation by physical act (§ 35:6).
- Standing to contest a will (§ 51:3).
- Testamentary intent (§ 17:1).

This 2026-2027 edition includes statutory references and case law current through August 1, 2026.